



**Saturday, February 17, 2024**

## **Indiana State @ Southern Illinois Salukis**

**Game Time: 7:00pm ET**

**Pick: Indiana State -4 (-120)**

The 23rd ranked Indiana State Sycamores enter this matchup 22-4 overall and sit atop the Missouri Valley Conference at 13-2. They possess one of the most electric offenses in the country that puts up 84.9 points per game which ranks 8th in the nation and has 5 players averaging double digits in scoring. According to KenPom they have the number 1 ranked Effective Field Goal Percentage at 59.7% and number 2 ranked Two Point Percentage at 62.0% nationally. This team can shoot the leather off the ball and play with lots of tempo which is a bad matchup for their opponent Southern Illinois who plays at a much slower pace and was destroyed by the Sycamores earlier this season 77-48. The Sycamores have won 6 of the past 10 matchups with the Salukis and covered the spread in 2 of the last 3. Southern Illinois has lost 17 consecutive games to ranked opponents as well. We expect Indiana State to bounce back strong after a bad home loss to Illinois State which will have them hungry to get back on track and cover this spread.

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